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In re Application of:)	Confirmation No.: 1319
Michael A. Aveni)	
)	Examiner: M. Patterson
Serial No.: 10/719,668)	
)	Art Unit: 3728
Filed: November 21, 2003)	
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Title: FOOTWEAR WITH A HEEL PLATE)	
ASSEMBLY)	

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

In regard to the above-identified application, we are transmitting herewith the attached:

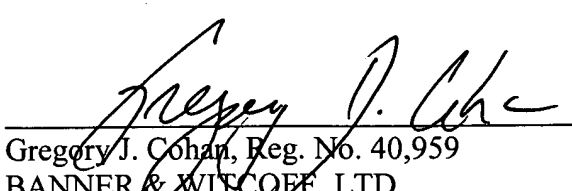
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and hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited on the date indicated below with the United States Postal Service as Express mail EV 515 644 986 US in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

With respect to additional fees, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees or credit overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0733. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: August 15, 2005


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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action mailed June 8, 2005, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this paper.